

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

PR&RD Dept. – Panchayat Secretaries – Direct Recruitment through the Department Selection Committee to the posts of Junior Panchayat Secretaries under Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment – Constitution of Departmental Selection Committee – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS.VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 77

Dated: 27-08-2018.
Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No. 81, PR&RD (Mdl.II) Dept. dt: 20.2.2010.
2. G.O.Ms.No. 84, PR&RD (Mdl.II) Dept. 24.2.2010.
3. Govt. Memo No. 20028/Mdl.II/A2/2011, dt: 3.8.2011.
4. G.O.Ms.No. 773, PR&RD (Pts.VI) Dept., dt: 14.12.2017.
5. Telangana Panchayat Raj Act, 2018.
6. From the CPR & RE, Hyd. Lr. No. 2560/CPR&RE/B2/2017, dated: 27.7.2018.
7. G.O.Ms.No. 117, Fin. (HRM-I) Dept., dated: 10.8.2018.
8. G.O.Ms.No. 126, Fin. (HRM-VII) Dept. dated: 23.8.2018.

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ORDER:

In the reference 6th read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment has stated that in accordance with the provisions of Telangana Panchayat Raj Act, 2018, existing 8684 Gram Panchayats had been reorganized by bringing the number of total Gram Panchayats to 12,751 in the state and requested the Government to create (6603) posts of Panchayat Secretary so as to provide one Panchayat Secretary to every Gram Panchayat and fill up (9355) vacancies immediately.

2. In the reference 7th read above, Government have accorded sanction for creation of (6603) posts in the category of Junior Panchayat Secretary for providing one Panchayat Secretary to each Gram Panchayat to empower and strengthen the Gram Panchayat administration under the control of Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad.

3. In the reference 8th read above, Govt. have accorded permission to fill (9355) vacant posts of Junior Panchayat Secretaries under the control of Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, through Departmental Selection Committee in view of the actual requirement of manpower with reference to the nature of work and activities of the Department and also the overall financial implications.

4. After careful consideration of the matter, Government ordered to take necessary action for filling the vacancies permitted above, duly following the Rule of Reservation, the provisions of the Presidential Order and the provisions of the Service Rules applicable to the relevant posts. The Selection Committee, shall finalize the selection process and other issues related to the recruitment process as per the statutory provisions applicable in general and the following guidelines, in specific.

5. Conduct a recruitment test in all the 30 districts in one go for recruiting the Jr. Panchayat Secretaries as per the vacancies. For every district a new roster will be started.

6. As the recruitment is for local bodies, it may be conducted through an agency such as JNTU, Police Recruitment Board, Telangana Residential Educational Institutions Board or any other agency. The following shall be the salient features of the recruitment process.

- a) Applications will be invited through online mode by giving 10 days time after issue of notification.
- b) Minimum educational qualification of the candidate will be Graduation in any discipline from a recognized university.
- c) The Age limit of the candidate will be 18-39 for General candidates and 5 years relaxation in the upper age limit is applicable to the candidates

belonging to SC/ST/BC and 10 years in case of candidates belonging to PHC category.

- d) As the state has 30 new districts excluding urban district of Hyderabad, the candidate to be appointed as Jr. Panchayat Secretary have to be local candidates of the new districts. However, in accordance with the Presidential Order, suitable number of posts will be kept un-reserved.
- e) The selection of the candidates will be made on the basis of objective type, written examination consisting of 2 papers of 3 hours each.
- f) Paper-I for 150 marks on General Knowledge and General Mental Ability. Paper-II for 150 marks on TPR Act 2018, Panchayat Raj Institutions and Local Governance, Rural Development, Telangana History, Culture, Geography and Economy and Government Schemes.
- g) The question papers will be jumbled in terms of both questions and multiple choices for each question. 1 Mark will be given for each correct answer and 1/3rd mark will be deducted for a wrong answer.
- h) The examination fee will be Rs.500/- for General Candidates and Rs.250/- for candidates belonging to SC/ST/BC.
- i) The merit list will be prepared district-wise and communicated to Commissioner Panchayat Raj & Rural Development and to be sent to the District Collectors for selection duly following the roster prescribed in the Rule 22 of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996.

7. Accordingly, Government. hereby constitute the Departmental Selection Committee with the following Officers:

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| 1. Commissioner, PR&RE, Hyderabad | : Chairperson |
| 2. Registrar, JNTU, Hyd., | : Member |
| 3. Additinal.Secretary, PR&RD Dept. | : Member |
| 4. Chief Executive Officer, SERP,Hyd. | : Member |
| 5. Representative of GAD (not below the rank of Dy. Secy.) | : Member |
| 6. Representative of Finance Dept. (not below the rank of Dy. Secy.) | : Member |
| 7. Representative of Law Dept. (not below the rank of Dy. Secy.) | : Member |
| 8. Deputy Commissioner, PR &RE, as decided by Commissioner, PR&RE. | : Convenor |

8. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

**VIKAS RAJ
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)**

To
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad.
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